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VA North Texas Health Care System Awarded Accreditation from Joint Commission

DALLAS – By demonstrating compliance with national standards for health care quality and safety, VA North Texas Health Care System (VANTHCS) earned accreditation from the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations. VANTHCS consists of three healthcare facilities located at Dallas, Bonham, and Fort Worth. VANTHCS went through its accreditation survey the week of November 7-10.

The Joint Commission evaluates and accredits more than 15,000 health care organizations and programs in the United States. An independent, not-for-profit organization, the Joint Commission is the nation's predominant standards-setting and accrediting body in health care. Since 1951, the Joint Commission has maintained state-of-the-art standards that focus on improving the safety and quality of care provided by health care organizations. The Joint Commission's comprehensive accreditation process evaluates an organization's compliance with these standards and other accreditation requirements.

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